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Applicant submits herewith the following in order to complete the above application:

Enclosed: Description

(X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;

- () Verified English Translation of German Application with Drawings;
- () Substitute Drawing(s) Figs. / () sheet(s);
- () Applicant is entitled to claim Small Entity Status [See 37 CFR 1.27];
- (X) Japanese Priority Document(s) No(s). 2003-108204 filed April 11, 2003 and 2003-394179 filed November 25, 2003, the priority(ies) of which is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119;
- () Other:
- (X) Formalities Letter dated June 25, 2004 (as required);
- (X) Check in the amount of \$ 130.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required with this submission to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

With the filing of these documents, it is submitted that the application is now complete and in form for examination. Accordingly, such examination and favorable action are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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